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Kathleen M. Tafoya
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: January 2008
Term Expires: 2016

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Criminal Division, United States Attorney's Office, Department of Justice; Senior Litigation Chief and Assistant U.S. Attorney/Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Assistant U.S. Attorney, Criminal Division, Colorado District, United States Department of Justice; Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Assistant U.S. Attorney, Criminal Division, Colorado District, United States Department of Justice

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David L. West

Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Began Service: 2004
Term Expires: January 2012

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Gudrun J. Rice

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Gudrun J. Rice

Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Smith 1965 BA; Denver 1973 JD
Began Service: February 7, 2001
Term Expires: February 6, 2009
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Affiliation: Shareholder, Withers, Seidman, Rice & Mueller, P.C.; Trustee, Board of Trustees, County of Mesa, Colorado

Government: Volunteer, Peace Corps (1973-1975); Deputy District Attorney, Seventh Judicial District, State of Colorado (1977-1981)

Judicial: District Court Referee/Juvenile Commissioner, 7th Judicial District, State of Colorado (1982-1984)

Current Memberships: Colorado Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Mesa County Bar Association

Staff

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United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Colorado

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Number of Judgeships: 5

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Howard R. Tallman

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Denver 1975 JD; Colorado 1984 MBA
Began Service: December 2002
Term Expires: December 2016

Government: Assistant U.S. Trustee, Colorado/Kansas, United States Department of Justice, Jimmy Carter Administration (1980-1986); U.S. Trustee, Region 19, United States Department of Justice (2000-2002)

Legal Practice: Holland & Hart LLP (1986-1995); Block Markus & Williams, LLC (1995-2000)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Colorado Bar Association; Faculty of Federal Advocates; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Sidney B. Brooks

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Denver 1967 BA, 1971 JD
Began Service: 1988
Term Expires: 2016

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Colorado Bar Association; Denver Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

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A. Bruce Campbell

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Cornell 1970 JD
Began Service: March 22, 2001
Term Expires: March 21, 2015

Staff

Courtroom Deputy **Teri Hammack** (720) 904-7358

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Elizabeth E. Brown

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Elizabeth E. Brown

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1958
Education: Colorado Col 1980 BA; Colorado 1986 JD
Began Service: April 16, 2001
Term Expires: April 15, 2015

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Elizabeth E. Brown, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit

Legal Practice: Associate, Davis Graham & Stubbs LLP (1986-1990); Associate, Rothgerber, Appel, Powers & Johnson LLP; Partner, Holme Roberts & Owen LLP (1997-2001)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; Colorado Bar Association; Colorado Bar Foundation, Colorado Bar Association; Denver Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Michael E. Romero

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: June 30, 1955
Education: Denver 1977 BA; Michigan 1980 JD
Began Service: December 22, 2003
Term Expires: December 2017

Legal Practice: Associate, Holland & Hart LLP (1980-1983); Associate, Issac, Rosenbaum, Woods, Levy and Snow (1983-1987); Shareholder/Director, Pendleton, Friedberg, Wilson & Hennessey, P.C. (1987-2003)

Nonprofit: Director/President, Longmont Theatre Company (1992-1996)

Staff

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Education: Drake 1994 BA; Capital 1999 JD

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Education: Colorado Col 1979 BA;
Lesley Col 1982 MEd; Boston Col 1985 JD
Judicial Assistant **Deborah L. Beatty** (720) 904-7413
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Number of Judgeships: 13

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Robert N. Chatigny

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: Brown 1973 AB; Georgetown 1978 JD
Began Service: 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Samuel Conti, United States District Court for the Northern District of California (1979-1980); Law Clerk The Honorable Jose A. Cabranes, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut (1980); Law Clerk The Honorable Jon O. Newman, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1980-1981)

Government: Member, Prison and Jail Overcrowding Commission, State of Connecticut (1991-1993); Member, Judicial Selection Commission, State of Connecticut (1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Williams & Connolly (1981-1983); Partner, Chatigny & Palmer (1984-1986); Law Offices of Robert N. Chatigny (1986-1990); Partner, Chatigny & Cowdery (1991-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Oliver Ellsworth American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Connecticut Bar Foundation, Connecticut Bar Association; Hartford County Bar

Staff

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Began Service: 2007
Term Expires: August 2008
Education: Duke JD

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